

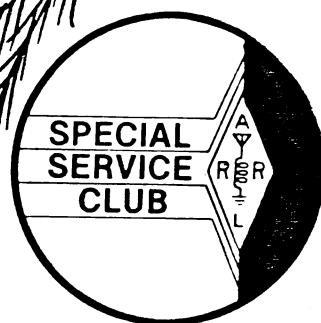


PHILMONT
MOBILE RADIO CLUB

THE Blurb

December 1984

W3RQZ • W3TKQ • W3QV



Season's Greetings



FROM PHILMONT MOBILE RADIO CLUB

And...
NOMINEES FOR Philmont OFFICERS
1985

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The Phil-Mont Mobile Radio Club, Inc., meets on the
first Monday (mostly) of every month at 8:00 p.m. in
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ALL VISITORS WELCOME ! !

DEADLINE - To be assured of current publication, all copy must be in the hands of the EDITOR by the
15th of the month or at the Board of Directors' Meeting, whichever is earlier.

Sam's CORNER

MY APOLOGIES TO THOSE OF *Philmont*
WHOSE TOES I HAVE STEPPED UPON THRU-OUT
THE YEARS. SOME OF IT IN FUN, OTHERS A
MATTER OF OPINION. HOWEVER, MAY YOU
ALL HAVE THE BEST OF HOLIDAYS AND A
BETTER YEAR TO FOLLOW, ENJOY IT ALL....
WHATEVER YOU ARE!

SPECIAL NOTICE
DUE TO THE LATE ARRIVAL OF THIS BALLOT, PHONE ABSENTEE BALLOTS
WILL BE ACCEPTED. PHONE YOUR VOTE BY 5 P.M. 12/3/84 TO:
DON GORDON 215-698-9760

OFFICIAL ABSENTEE BALLOT

This is your OFFICIAL ABSENTEE BALLOT for the Election of Officers on 03 Dec 84. This ballot must be in the hands of the Judge of the Elections (WB3KOJ) before the ballots are declared closed on the night of the elections.

PROCEDURE:

1. MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS BELOW
2. PUT BALLOT IN AN ENVELOPE
3. WRITE YOUR CALL ON THE OUTSIDE OF ENVELOPE
4. MAIL OR HAVE ENVELOPE DELIVERED TO WB3KOJ BY 8 P.M. ON DEC. 3.

NOTE: IF, AFTER SUBMITTING ABSENTEE BALLOT, YOU DECIDE TO ATTEND THE MEETING, YOU MAY CLAIM YOUR UNOPENED ENVELOPE PRIOR TO CASTING A REGULAR BALLOT

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35th. ANNIVERSARY BANQUET COMMITTEE REPORT

83 Members (45) and guests (38) attended what was overheard to be called the best amateur club sponsored dinner-dance ever held in the Philadelphia area! The TVI Retreat editor's comments of 30 years ago might still be appropriate for those who chose not to attend. (See elsewhere in this issue.)

Our Master of Ceremonies, Jim Spencer performed a superb job (he's had a lot of practice at these affairs) and even received a standing ovation for his long years of dedication and service to the club.

Fred Shaw, W3ADV gave a brief recital of the history of the club and its connection with W3TKQ. George King, W3PXY reminisced briefly about the early days including Dr. Carl's naming of the "TVI Retreat" AND "The Blurb"!

Special awards were given to:

W3ADV, Fred, as the earliest licensee present. (65 years!)

W3CDY, Lloyd Sherman, for travelling the greatest distance. (Ocean View, Delaware)

And the MYSTERY PRIZE (two tickets to the 40th Anniversary Banquet) was won by Hal and Marion, W3AA and WA3YJR.

Of course, music was provided by HORIZON - the BEST BAND IN BUCKS COUNTY (also Montgomery County)! The "Patrone" stayed 'till the end, so it couldn't have been too bad!

Thanks to all of the committee members who helped to make it such a memorable success, and special thanks to:

W3BBB Jim and Elaine - The program was just the right length and the centerpieces were outstanding!

W3KOT Don - The "motivator and collector". Thanks for your encouragement.

W3GQD
K3GBA Bill and Sam - for not making the lights and flashes too bothersome. (We'll enjoy viewing their contributions in years to come.)

W3IIN Jinny - The memorabilia display was outstanding - thanks to all who've contributed. (Those who haven't know who they are.)
The sachet for the ladies was a big project (all 38 hand made). A thoughtful touch and appreciated by all.
The printed program was a labor of love and word processor.
The badges.

Whew, I'm glad it's over!

For the committee, W3IIM

December '84

1985 P.M.R.C. DUES INVOICE

YOUR 1985 PHIL-MONT DUES ARE DUE...\$14.00

PLEASE REMIT PAYMENT OF \$14.00 FOR REGULAR, SINGLE, MEMBERSHIP. FOR EACH
ADDITIONAL PMRC FAMILY MEMBER, (SAME ADDRESS, ONE BLURB) ADD \$7.00

UNDER ARTICLE 4, SECTION 3 OF THE BY-LAWS, YOUR MEMBERSHIP WILL LAPSE ON THE
LAST DAY OF FEBRUARY IF DUES ARE UNPAID.

DON'T DELAY!...RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP NOW, AND JOIN PHIL-MONT IN 1985.

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: P.M.R.C.
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THIS IS YOUR ONLY NOTICE
MAIL THIS FORM WITH YOUR CHECK...TODAY

THE PREZ SEZ

This is my last Prez Sez and I want to say thank you. Thank you to the 1984 Officers, Directors and Committee Members. You all did an outstanding job and I want to express my personal good wishes along with those of the membership.

Thank you to the members of Philmont for your continued support of the club and its activities. I know 1985 will be more successful and enjoyable with your enthusiastic participation.

Thank you also to the incoming Officers. Their willingness to give their time and effort to Philmont will help make the coming year an exciting one.

Seasons Greetings and a Happy and Healthy New Year to all.

73,

Ed KB3IV

SAM'S OTHER CORNER
ONE O' THESE DAYS SPENCE
IM TAKIN THIS OFF!!



YEAH JAKE, WHEN YA DO...
YOU GOTTA SEE ELAINE'S NEW
CHEVETTE, AHEM,
THAT I GOT FOR HER.



IT SEEMS WE HEARD THAT BEFORE

OCTOBER 1984 DIRECTORS' MEETING

KB3IV opened the meeting, held at the home of W3IRS, at 8:25 P.M., on Wednesday October 17th. The meeting was attended by: W3's BBB, GQD, PST, SRU, AA, PWG, ZPP; N3ADI; K3GNM & WB3KOJ. In the absence of WB3KOH, the minutes of the October General Meeting were read by WB3KOJ. (I can't believe she passed up a Phil-Mont meeting for a male stripper show) The minutes were approved. - KB3IV, subbing for W3IIN, (Post crash vacation) gave the Treasurer's Report. - KB3IV read the membership applications of N3EAY, Robert Ricker and WA3GOV, Howard Ziserman. The board approved both applicants. (Welcome) - W3PWG reported that 272 contacts were made by W3TKQ during the IEEE Centennial Celebration. Rollie informed the Board that the following people took part in the event: KH6CP, KM3T, W3AA, KA3HBK, N3ALW, W3PWG, WB3KAC, KA3AM0, K3VXU, N4EGX, N3DHI & N3DCM. The future of the Club Station was discussed and Rollie will keep the Board informed as to the Institute's plans. - W3BBB stated that the StationMaster antenna will be put up SOON (Sounds like a KAB to me) and that W3GQD is working on the final amplifier design. Jim also stated that checks have been received (What does the repeater want for Xmas, Jim?) from MARC & The PackRats for the use of MOCOM at their respective Hamfests. - N3DHI said that the 450 link is working properly. (Last chance to push for a patch before BBB tells Ma Bell what to do with the phone line) - The meeting was adjourned at 10:15. Refreshments, provided by our gracious hosts Frenchy & Lou, were enjoyed.

NOVEMBER 1984 GENERAL MEETING

KB3IV opened The Old Timers' Night Meeting, (They all still look capable of raising an antenna) which was the 420th General Meeting, of Phil-Mont Mobile Radio Club, at 8:11 on November 5th. The minutes of the

October Directors' meeting were read and approved. - W3IIN delivered the Treasurer's report, (Mystery how she gets a tan and still reports funds in the bank). The report was approved. Jinny welcomed N3EAY & WA3GOV into the club. - W3VVS reported that the meeting was attended by 42 members and 19 visitors. (We beat them this month) Paul introduced: Millie Stoth, Ellen Hultquist, Marion Bubeck, Eunice Bohlander, Bunny De Pasquale, Emily Brangan, Sandy Kernosh-KF3D, Lee Garner-K3DLL, Jack Kennedy-K3OWY, Bob Matthews-W3VDQ, Howard Marque-KN3P, Honey Marque, Debbie Bevit, Hugh Turnbull-W3ABC, Dick Bechtel-W3CBF, Veniese Pommer, Ethyl Cox, Rhea Boch & Lillian Shapiro. - W3BBB announced that the repeater bells and whistles are now operational. (*=Time - 88=Date - 73=Brag Tape). - N3DHI invited the members and guests to tour MOCOM, which was set up outside the Institute. - W3IIM asked for volunteers to assist the LBARA Club during the Independence Marathon, November 25th. Jack also announced that the January program will be about the 1984 Olympic Torch Run. - KB3IV introduced Hugh Turnbull, ARRL Atlantic Division Director, who presented Dick Bechtel with an award for 50 years of ARRL membership. - WB3KOJ, chairman of the nominating committee, presented the slate of candidates for 1985.

President- W3SRU & W3UY
V.P.-WB3CMM & N3DHI
Secretary-W3AWG & W3IIM
Treasurer-KA3BET & KB3IV
Directors-W3AWH, W3BBB, W3IIM, W3VVS
(Who's running and who's running away?)

W3IIM introduced Russ Miller, K3NYN, who delivered a most enjoyable and informative talk on estate planning. (What was in the Box?) The meeting was adjourned at 9:50 and excellent refreshments were served.

Respectfully Submitted

Natalie Gordon, WB3KOH
Secretary

Phil-Mont's Calendar for December 1984

02 NCS's; 2m-W3AA, 10m-W3GIF 1st Sunday in Advent
03 Stated Annual Meeting -- ELECTION! Look elsewhere this issue.
06 St. Nicholas Day
09 NCS's; 2m-W3AWG, 10m-WB3KAC
10 Human Rights Day
15 Bill of Rights Day and THE BLURB DEADLINE!!
16 NCS's; 2m-WA3INW, 10m-KB3CT
19 Bored of Directors' Meeting at W3AA, and Happy Hanukkah!
21 Winter arrives at 11:23 am EST
23 NCS's; 2m K3PHC, 10m-KB3QE
25 Merry Christmas
30 NCS's; 2m-W3BBB(Wake'im up, somebody!), 10m-WB3CMM
30 Watch Night for New Year's Eve.

W3QV/R Control Codes de W3BBB

Members and friends of Phil-Mont Mobile Radio Club, Inc. are hereby informed of the codes that are available, provided, you have a TT mike.
Encode during the first three seconds of transmission:

Time - - - - *

Date - - - - 88

Emergency 911

Brag-tape-start - - 73

From the rear seat - - -

We are fast approaching the close of yet another year, 1984. It has been a good year for Phil-Mont. And it has been a good for Ye Olde Editore. Starting on page one I, er, WE must thank Sam Kuncovich for his excellent covers. He gets so little info, but comes through with so much. KB3IV has helped on many occasions more than usual for a president. WB3KOJ and W3IIM prepare "camera-ready" material. Any previous editor knows how important that is. One cannot give credit without running the risk of leaving someone out, for that I apologize. C U next year with a better BLURB.

73,

Woody W3PST

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OLD BUSINESS

TVI RETREAT
30 YEARS AGO
DEC. 1954

New members: W3ULC, W3YFV, K2BWG, W3ERP, W3RFJ and W3SAA. Ernie went through the records and dropped delinquent members, thus making room for the new fellows - bringing us back up to our full quota of 100 which seems to be the saturation point for active members.

Ballooning stopped on the 15th of Nov. for lack of gas - can't say PMRC will ever have that problem - where do you think Windy Grandpa Bill and Gasbag Carl got their names?

To you swabs and characters who shunned PMRC's Annual (Advancement of the Brotherhood of Man, Hamhood, Mobiling and Be Kind To Your Wife) Banquet - - RAZZBERRYS! We had a crowd of 96 people - last year's count was 57. W3QQH and W3QV were presented with a plaque as a token of thanks for their interest and hard work in the club this year. The club was presented with the First Prize won at the Almo exhibit.

Nominations are now in and the running slate is as follows for the executive branch of PMRC's government for 1955.

President W3KHF	Vice President W3CNO
W3NIP	W3IVD
Secretary W3QQH	W3LNQ
Treasurer W3D\$G	W3NVG
	W3UMK

Excerpted by W3IIM

**** UPDATE ****

December 3, ELECTIONS!!!

January 7, General meeting program: ON THE AIR WITH THE OLYMPIC TORCH RUN presented by Jim Metzger, KA3HWD and Charlie Kozman, WB2NQV.

I'm told that these fellows have really put together a fine visual presentation about their cross-country travels which should be of interest to all family members.

SEEEYOUATTHEMEETING!

OLD BUSINESS

THE BLURB
15 YEARS AGO
DEC. 1969

Nominees for club officers this year:

President K3UWO	Vice President W3GIF
W3WXC	W3VVS
Secretary W3AES	Treasurer K3KNH
W3AJO	W3QQH
K3KUD	

Director W3HFX W3NIP K3NYL WA2RDC

Voting Is A Privilege

Unpressured voting such as is practiced in our country is a double privilege. To criticize the leaders of a nation ... or club, is not enough. By voting for the group or individual you want in office, you are directing the destiny of your nation ... or club.

Nothing reaches a goal without planning and dedication. If each one adds his small voice, the murmur becomes a SHOUT, and can be heard.

Let your voice be heard.

VOTE for your candidate.

Odds and Ends

"As you know, I was the first operator at W3TKQ and have been out of there about 10 years. I used to work GB2SM the Science Museum in London quite often, the operator there was named Jeff.

"The other day I received a card from W3AES, Jon Balch, which said "Just had a chat with Jeff at GB2SM in London, and he said to pass on his cordial good wishes to you and yours." I thought it was extra-ordinary that he would remember our contacts!

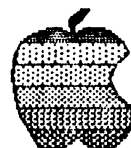
Sincerely, Mason, W3PBR

Excerpted by W3IIM

de W3IIM



.....BYTES FROM THE APPLE.....



DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

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|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 02- DONALD B. GORDON - WB3KOJ | 19- FRED. W. REICHERT, JR. - KF4LM |
| 03- ALBERT W. HAMILTON - W3GIF | 21- CLINTON R. SPENCER III - N3DHI |
| - STEVEN V. SCALIA - N5EJP | 26- KERMIT J. LEACH - WB3FFO |
| 05- LEATHA LACHMAN (XYL W3UQ) | - FREDWOOD S. SHAW - W3ADV |
| 08- ALBERT B. ROWLAND - W3JIL | 27- HARRY C. BAYNARD - K3SZJ |
| 09- R. LAFAYETTE BEAMON, JR. - W3BFM | - RACHEL KLABE (XYL WA2YDS) |
| - JAMES J. BOCK - K3PHC | - CLINTON R. SPENCER, JR. - W3BBB |
| 10- ELSIE BARDSLEY (XYL K3QJA) | 28- BETTY KING (XYL W3PXY) |
| 12- KATHRYN STUCKA (XYL N3JM) | - KATHLEEN O'MALLEY (XYL WB3KBK) |
| 17- BETTY BADDORF (XYL W3FZO) | 30- FRANK H. LEWIS - N3DGU |
| - CASS COOK (XYL KB3CT) | 31- RHEBA BOCK (XYL W3PHC) |

*****HAPPY BIRTHDAY*****

SPECIAL NOTE OF APPRECIATION

THANKS TO JACK & JINNY FOR THE SUPER JOB THEY DID ON THE BANQUET.
WITHOUT THEIR EXTRA EFFORTS IT WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN AS GREAT AS IT WAS.

PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO CHECK THE PERSONAL DATA ON THE 1985 DUES
INVOICE ATTACHED TO THIS BLURB. MAIL IT WITH YOUR CHECK...TODAY!
...DE WB3KOJ



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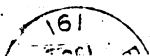
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